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From: Dale Farm <[dale.farm@btinternet.com](mailto:dale.farm@btinternet.com)>  
 Subject: Fw: Fol: RE CONSTANT CONTRACT  
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 Date: Wednesday, 7 April, 2010, 7:23

For your info

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#### REQUEST UNDER FoI ACT

Dear Mr. Mahendran and Ms. Marriott,  
 I am writing to request from you under the Freedom of Information Act a copy of any contractual or pre-contractual papers that relate to the specifics of the undertaking to be conducted by Constant & Co with regards to Dale Farm, Crays Hill, and Hovefields, Wickford.

Access to the information on the specifics of the undertaking that is contained in the contract awarded to Constant and Co. (Bedofrd) Ltd. by Basildon District Council for bailiff services for undertaking Enforcement Action at Dale Farm and Hovefields is relevant to the affected communities and to the public in general because of their impact and effects on health and safety issues. According to the Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974, it is the duty of every employer to give persons (not being his employees) who may be affected by the way in which he conducts his undertaking, the prescribed information about aspects of his undertaking as might affect their health or safety (Art. 3(3)).

In order for the residents of Dale Farm, Hovefields and the surrounding communities to learn about the type, impact and extent of the health and safety effects that can result from the way in which Constant and Co. will conduct the undertaking to enforce notice, information is needed on the contractual aspects of the specifics of the undertaking.

Considering that the Cabinet of Basildon District Council has decided on 10 December 2009 to delegate the authority to agree the details of the contract to the Head of Community and Environment in consultation with the Manager of Legal and Corporate Governance, we require that this email is referred to these bodies too, in case you consider it necessary.

Sincerely,  
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